

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: DE ARRUDA VILLELA : Paper No.:  
Serial No.: 10/598,719 : Group Art Unit: 2131  
Filing Date: Sept. 8, 2006 : Examiner: WRIGHT, Bryan F.  
For: **ACCESS CONTROL SYSTEM FOR INFORMATION SERVICES  
BASED ON A HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE SIGNATURE OF A  
REQUESTING DEVICE**

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated September 18, 2008, please amend the present application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.